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Note

Ferrisia lobdellae, a New Name for *Ferrisia setosa* (Lobdell, 1930) (Homoptera: Pseudococcidae)

Ferrisia setosa (Lobdell) is presently without a valid name. This mealybug was originally discovered on the roots of *Liquidambar styraciflua* at Durant, Mississippi, by Lobdell (1930. Ann. Entomol. Soc. Am. 23: 209–236) and named *Trionymus setosus*. Ferris (1950. Atlas of the Scale Insects of North America, Series V: The Pseudococcidae, Pt. 1, pp. 85–95) treated it as a valid species and transferred it to the genus *Ferrisiana*. But the generic name *Ferrisiana* is now considered as an unjustified change for *Ferrisia* Fullaway, 1923 (*vide*, Morrison and Morrison. 1966. U. S. Dep. Agric. Misc. Publ. 1015: 1–206). Therefore, this species presently is called *Ferrisia setosa* (Lobdell).

However prior to Lobdell's 1930 paper, Hempel (1900. Rev. Mus. Paulista, São Paulo 4: 386) described a mealybug on *Ficus* in Brazil as *Dactylopius setosus*, and he mentioned it again in a second publication (Hempel. 1900. Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist. (7) 6: 396). Hempel's mealybug was referred to as *Pseudococcus setosus* (Hempel) by Fernald (1903. Mass. Agric. Exp. Stn. Spec. Bull. 88: 109) and by MacGillivray (1921. The Coccidae. Scarab Co., Urbana, Illinois, p. 133), was later placed in the genus *Ferrisia*, and

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presently has been sunk as a synonym of *F. virgata* (Cockerell) (*vide*, Mohammed Ali. 1970, Indian Mus. Bull. 5(2): 108).

Thus the *setosus* of Lobdell (1930), which is a valid species, is a junior secondary homonym of the *setosus* of Hempel (1900), and both are presently included in the genus *Ferrisia*. There being no other available name for the species discovered by Lobdell, *Ferrisia lobdellae* Varshney, New NAME, is here proposed as a replacement name.

The holotype of *Trionymus setosus* Lobdell, 1930, is in the Collection of the Entomological Museum, Mississippi State (Richard L. Brown, personal communication). Four "type material" slides are deposited in the Coccoidea Collection, University of California, Davis; and one paratype slide (not in good condition) is in the Collection of the National Museum of Natural History, Beltsville, Maryland.

The replacement name is in honor of Ms. Gladys Hoke Lobdell, the discoverer of the species.

Incidentally, it may also be pointed out here that Ferris (1950: 88) and McKenzie (1967. Mealybugs of California with Taxonomy, Biology, and Control of North American species (Homoptera: Coccoidea: Pseudococcidae). Univ. Calif. Press, Berkeley, p. 179) have made a minor unintentional error by stating that Takahashi "in 1927" changed *Ferrisia* to *Ferrisiana*. In fact, Takahashi proposed this change in 1929 (Trans. Formosa Nat. Hist. Soc. 19(104): 425–431).

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NOTE

Distributional Records of Platypodidae (Coleoptera) in Maryland

In the recent Catalog of North American Platypodidae (S. L. Wood. 1979. U.S. Dept. Agric., Agric. Handb. 529–141) no species are listed as occurring in Maryland. Three species, *Platypus compositus* Say, *P. flavicornis* (Fa-